

Kate Blystone - New information on use

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Mr. Stalheim, I am writing to request that you provide the Planning Commission and the County Council information and maps resulting from the Birch Bay Watershed Characterization Study from 2007-08. I believe that this information is very relevant to the resizing of the Birch Bay Urban Growth Area, and perhaps even its location. The study was done with considerable scientific input as to potential land uses in the watershed, and therefore to the urban growth area, sitings for commercial development, and other uses.

Even maps that overlay the uga maps under consideration should prove to be helpful. This is the most current land use information we have to work with, and it will be the basis for the next stage of the study that will result in actual zoning recommendations. Utilization of it now should result in less confusion/frustration going forward.

Thank you, Keats Garman